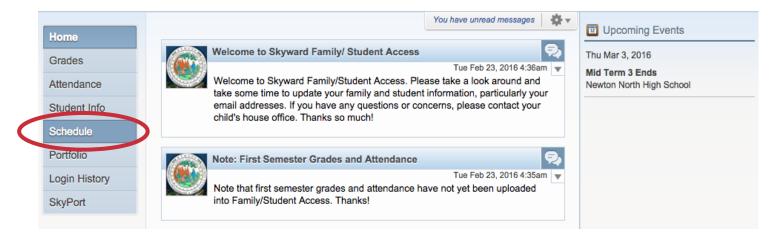
Viewing Requests in Family Access

Directions for parents/guardians to log on to Family Access to review students' recommendations and course and alternate requests.

How to navigate to the student request area:

- Log onto Student Access by clicking on the Skyward Logo on the NSHS website and entering your NPS log in.
- Click on "Schedule" in the menu on the left hand side.

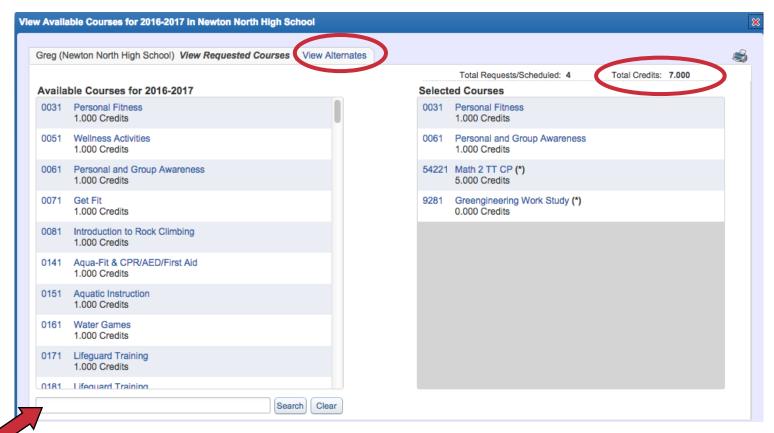


Click "View Requests for 2016-2017 in Newton South High School in the upper right hand corner. Please disregard the information on the schedule page. We are working with Skyward to format student schedules to our block schedule.



How to review your student's course recommendations and requests:

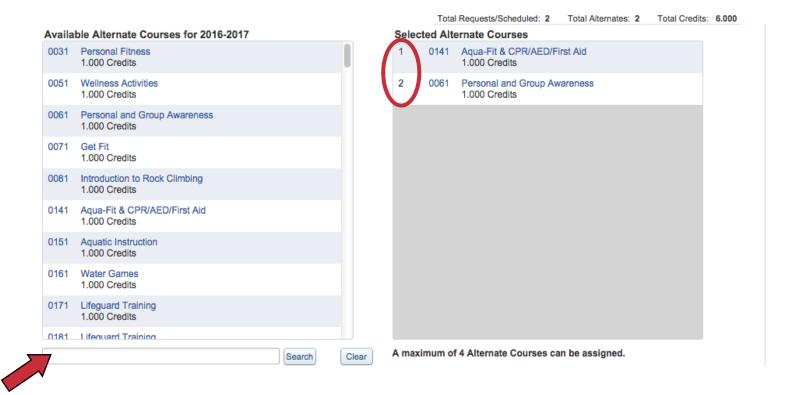
- The "Selected Courses" on the right are courses that were recommended by your student's teachers and electives that your student requested.
- The "Available Courses" on the left are elective courses that students can choose from. Enter the course number you are looking for in the search bar and click search to find a specific course.



Please note the "Total Credits" tally in the top right hand corner of the screen. A full course load with no studies or frees is 35 credits. Anything below 30 credits is considered under enrolled and requires counselor approval. Please use this indicator to make sure your student has a manageable schedule.

How to review your student's alternate requests:

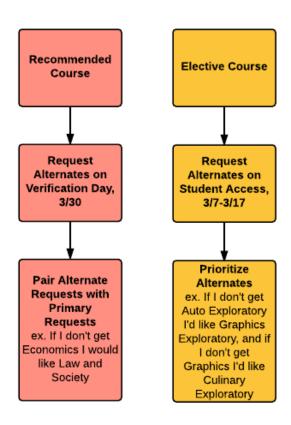
In addition to selecting course requests, students should add alternates. This step is very important as due to scheduling conflicts you may not receive your requested course. Click on "View Alternates" to review your student's alternate requests.



- Enter the course number you are looking for in the search bar and click search to find a specific course. **Students can select up to four alternate courses.**
- Students can prioritize alternates to let us know which of the alternate courses listed here they would most like to be enrolled in in the instance where they don't get their primary request. The number to the left of the course indicates the priority level your student has assigned to that course.

Alternate requesting process:

 Students are only able to request alternates for elective courses on Student Access. On Verification Day they will have an opportunity to add alternates to courses for which they have been recommended.



We encourage students and parents/guardians to work together to make course and alternate requests. If after you review your student's course requests your student would like to make any changes, they can simply log back on to Student Access and do so. Students can log on to Student Access to adjust their course requests at anytime between March 7th at 5pm and March 17th at 11pm. When you or your student log back in you will be able to see any updates teachers or counselors have made to your student's recommendations.